Alexandria Gazette

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB'Y. 12.

Singular Freak.

WASHINGTON. Feb. 11, 1876. To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette :

DEAR SIR:-Your paper of last week (perhaps Friday or Saturday,) gave an account of a bird under head of "Singular Freak," as having perched on a lady's shoulder and showing affection for her and eating from her hand. The explanation is probably this: A friend having giving me some pheasant eggs they were hatched on my lot, "Van Ness Square," in this city, and were fed by the hand of my cook in a place of confinement prepared for them, and were never out of it until two days ago, when a pane of glass was broken by some means and two of the pheasants got out. One was easily retaken; the other was seen to fly towards the river, and was supposed to have crossed the Potomac. The bird has great power in the wings. The color more like a partridge than of a pigeon; the tail very long and terminating in a shart point. I would not deprive the lady of her affectionate captive that probably did not know what to eat except from the hand of kindness, but if it becomes troublesome to her a suitable reward for its return will be paid by THOMAS GREEN, at C and 17th st.

John H. Tyree, a well-known tobacconist of Lynchburg, Va., who was stricken with paralysis a few days since died last Wednesday in the 70th year of his age.

A new postoffice is established at Shepherd's Grove, Culpeper county, Va., on the route from Stevensburgh to Richardsville, with J. Knighton as postmaster.

The Hon. Alexander H. Stephens Orders Giobe-Flower Cough Syrup to sustain his Throat and Lungs in making his great Civil Rights speech:

National Hotel, Washington, D. C., December 26, 1873. Dr. J. S. Pemberton—Dear Sir: Picase send me three bottles of your Globe Flower Syrup by Dr. Samuel Bard. Yours truly,

ALEXANDER H. STEVENS.

Washington, D. C., January S, 1874. Dr. J. S. Pemberton-Dear Sir: The Globe Flower Syrup duly received. Many thanks. It has proved a most valuable remedy to me

Yours truly, ALEXANDER H. STEVENS.
Globe Flower Cough Syrup cures Coids,
Coughs, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma,
Whooping Cough, Croup, Pieurisy, Psin and
Soreness in the Breast, and will positively cure Consumption. We shall publish in the Gazette Testimonials of great and good men of the na-tion, whose words cannot be doubted, in regard to the merits of Globe Flower Syrup. We prefer to let them speak. Globe Flower Syrup for sale by E. S. LEAD BEATER & BEO.

None genuine unless signed MERKELL & COUDEN, successors to Dr. J. S. Pemberton. Read the "Curious Story"-free at the Drug jan 14-lm

HANDSOME PRESENTS. We have just received an assortment of

GROVER & BAKER'S SHUTTLE STITCH SEWING MACHINES, With all the Latest Improvements, d are prepared to sell them at the very lowest A more valuable present cannot be made to a wife, mother, sister or a lady friend than one of the above machines. Call and examine or send for a circular.
dec 23 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

DREDGING.

The POTOMAC DREDGING COMPANY will execute all orders for dredging with dis patch. Orders left with N. BOUSH & SON, Alexandria, Va.

TIMOTHY & CLOVER SEED,

THOS. P. MORGAN, Manager,

For sale by R.M. LAWSON,

COMMISSION MERCHANT, ALEXANDRIA, VA. CHEAP PLAIDS AND OTHER DRESS GOODS-We have marked there goods sell at a loss now than to carry them over to another season. A great chance for bargains. Come and see them before they are all picked

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. $\mathbf{D}^{ ext{RESS GOODS.}}$ We have this week stin further reduced from 372c to 20c a line of Dress Goods which were new this season. We do not wish to put up any

of these goods in order to carry them over to H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

HAIR BRAIDS! HAIR SWITCHES! PRICES REDUCED. We are now selling Hair Switches for \$2.50 and \$3 worth \$4 and \$5 one year ago.

J. FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street.

COMBINGS—Save your combings and have them manufactured in Switches, Braid-Curls, Puffs, &c., at a very small expense, by experienced hands, at J. FERGUSON & BRO'S.

Hair Depot, 96 King st. 7 NITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS. Beautifully put up in boxes of half a dozen each. Also new style Felt Skirts, very hand-some. D. F. BRASHEAR,

H. B. HOOMES, No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. BOARDERS WANTED-Have TWO OR THREE FURNISHED ROOMS, with or

without board, in a pleasant part of the city. Single gentlemea preferred. Enquire at this HOLIDAY GOODS-Malaga Grapes, cheap, Figs in baskets, layer do. in 3 lb and 5 lb

boxes, layer. Valencia and loose Muscatel Raisins, and Seedless do., cheap by GEO. McBURNEY & SON,

166 and 170 King street. DRATT'S ASTRAL OIL, best Kerosene. Listed Oils—a full supply on hand and for E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

COMPOUNDSYRUP OF GLOBE FLOW-ER, Anodyne Pectoral, Bull's Cough Syrup and all the popular cough remedies of the day For sale by 1eb 4 E. S. E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

KID GLOVES-We have just received a lot of TWO-BUTTON KID GLOVES, waich will be sold for 65c, at FERGUSON & BRO'S.,

96 King street. NOTICE! NOTICE!

Just received: Hale's Honey of Hore

Touthand Orons, and hound and Tar, Pike's Toothache Drops, and

Glenn's Sulphur Soap, at W. F. CREIGHTON'S, 85 King street.

OLD TIMES COME AGAIN-We are selling the best New Orleans Sugar at 9c per lb. Look at sample in our show window. GEO MCBURNEY & SON.

LADIES' and MISSES' BALMORAL SKIRTS, Breakhast Shawls and Knit Jack-FERGUSON & BRO'S.,

25 BBLS ISAAC WENGER'S CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR received by J. C. & E. MILBURN.

CRANBERRIES and Coxe's Gelatine jus J. C. & E. MILBURN. DRIME HAND-PICKED MEDIUM BEANS received to day by J. C. & E. MILBURN.

DBY GOODS.

NEW DRY GOODS FOR FEB'Y. SALES. Splendid stock of Domestics.
Tuesday, February 1st, 1876.
We open to-day the best assortment of Staple

Dry Goods we have ever offered to purchasers. Our Domestic Department cannot be surpassed. A large variety of new style Calicoes, &c, Another lot of those choice Lancaster and Cocheco Cambrics All the best brands of Bleached and Brown Cottons and Sheetings,

&c., at popular prices.
D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, H. B. Hoomes. Alexandria, Va.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.-GREAT JOB IN KENTUCKY JEANS-3-4, 7-8 and 4 4 Virginia made Bro. Cottons-Full stock of Bleached Cottons-Patapsco Cotton Yarns-January 20th, 1876-We call special attention of buyers to our full stock of the above named goods, purchased in large quantities within the last few days at prices lower than ever known in this country, and anticipating an upward tendency in all stable goods. D. F. BRASHEAR,

H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. jan 21

TTO KEEP STOCK COMPLETE

We have just received a full assortment of BLACK MOHAIRS,

which will be sold at our REDUCED PRICES.

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. jan 21 Notice.

Our very largely increased sales have neces sitated filling up stock, particularly in CALL COES, COTTONS, TABLE LINENS, TOW ELS, WATERPROOFS and LOW-PRICED BROWN DRESS GOODS. The new shades, although just received, we will sell at the same

LOW PRICES. To DRESS GOODS we would call particular attention, as many of them are marked from 25 to 33 per cent less than drst cost. We are determined to close them out if low prices will do it Our general assortment is still good, and we will make it greatly to the interest of purchasers to call and sec us.
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

MORE SEASONABLE DRY GOODS.

Cheap Goods for January Sales. Tuesday, January 11, 1870.

We open to day a full stock of Bleached Cottons, Sneetings, P. C. Cottons and Linens, Quilts, Crash, Table Damask, Towelings, Naphans, Wine Cloth, Floor and Table Oil Clothes, Chileges &c. So. all at papellar visits. Oslicoes, &c., &c., all at popular prices. D. F. BRASHEAR,

H. B. HOOMES. No. 109 King street,

Alexandria, Va. LARGE AND CHOICE STOCK OF FAN-CY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS. New York, Philadelphia and Saltimore markets. We have just returned from the North and opening to-day a spiendid assortment of goods. embracing the newest and latest styles out for

fall and winter. Our Dress Goods Department is complete, and we make Black Goods a specisity. We cannot enumerate all the different ines of goods, but invite a general examination of the stock. Poyular prices may be expected. D. F. BRASHEAL, 109 King street.

FRESH GOODS.

I am just opening quite an addition to my stock in new and very pretty Prints, Alpacas and Black French Cashmeres. Brown, Bleached and Lead Colored Canton Flannels.
A fine line of Gents' Pocket Handkerchiefs in

Hemstitched do., for ladies and gentlemen. Gents' Kid Gloves, Corsets, extra size gentlemen's Merino Vests, 42x44 inches, Gents Silk Scarf and Neck Ties, superior Bed Blankets, Comforts, Bleached and Brown Cottons, &c. J. M. STEWART.

GOODS NEW

I have just opened from New York another line of superior BLACK GRO. GRAIN SILKS. very cheap. Some of these are the "Cachmere, finish and very handsome.

ALSO, Long and Square Black Cashmere Shawls. Black Crape Veils. Black Cashmere White Flannels, &c.

Some very handsome Crimson and Green Terrys, for furniture covering and curtains nov 20 J. M. STEWART.

NOTICE. KID GLOVES. I have received this day my Fall supply of GOODS-We have marked there goods KID GLOVES, at prices as follows: Two but-down, some far below cost, thinking it better to ton, at 75c \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.25 per pair. C. C. BERRY, 72 King st. oct 1

BLACK SILKS.

I have just received from New York a line of my superior BLACK SILKS,

of every grade, some of them exceedingly rich in quality and finish; also beautiful Pin-scripe ditto. French Merinos in the new Cloth Colors; a large stock of black ditto, with Cashmeres, from 87 cts. to \$1.50.

Also, a fine stock of Plaid CAMEL'S HAIR

and other goods for Ladies Jackets and Cloaks, in the new styles, and handsomely trimmed. sep30 J. M. STEWART.

CARPETINGS.

I am now opening a large stock of superior BRUSSELS AND INGRAIN CARPETS, HEARTH RUGS, OIL CLOTHS, MATS, HASSUCKS, &c.

These goods are hanesome and cheap BUILDING MATERIAL. JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes 1ron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle

From, Flough Castings, Nam.

Gresse, Wagon Materials, Housekeepers' Goods, &c., &c.

NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL
mh 8 Alexandria, Virginia.

B. F. PEAKK. JOHN W. PEAKE. B. F. PEAKE & CO.,

(Successors to Jas. W. Nalls, Son & Co.) DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARD WARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c.,

No. 187 King street, Alexandria, Virginia

FISH, &YSTE 45, Sc. WM. H. SMITH & CO'S. NORFOLK OYSTER DEPOT

NO. 43 KING STREET, OFFICE: NO. 7 NORTH FAIRFAX ST.

ALEXANDRIA, VA. We have constantly on hand OYSTERS OF THE BEST QUALITY, from Norfolk and elsewhere, received FRESH BY STEAMERS EVERY DAY, and are prepared to furnish the trade at as LOW PRICES as any house in the

city. All orders intrusted to us shall receive prompt and careful attention. Packing House, 43 King st. Office, 7 north Fairfax street.

BARGAINS! To reduce stock.
At FERGUSON & BRO'S., 96 King street. FRESHLY ROASTED OLD GOVERN MENT JAVA, Maracaibo, LaGauyra and

Rio Coffees at J. C. & E. MILBURN'S. jan 27 OlLS, of several kinds, for machinery-A large stock on hand and for sale at lowest E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

FLOUR-250 bbls Occoquan high grade Ex-tra Flour for sale by aug 13 WASHINGTON & BRO. SPLIT PEAS-new-for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY,

oct 8

Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

FINANCIAL.

 ${
m W.\,D.\,CORSE},$ STOCK, EXCHANGE AND COLLEC-TION BROKER,

Will deal in Gold and Silver Coin, State, City and Railroad Securities. Will execute orders for any Stocks or Bonds on the Stock Boards of New York or Baltimore Virginia Coupons, receivable for taxes, for

Agent for the MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-ANCE CO., of New York. jy 2

BURKE & HERBERT,

GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other good investment securi-

ties, have for sale
VIRGINIA COUPONS, receivable for taxes.
ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION SIX PER CENT BONDS. Any information in regard to investments heerfully given.

ICE DEALERS.

ICE!

A full supply of NORTHERN from the cicarest or water, and of unusual PU-KITY and SOLIDITY, constantly on hand. Persons desiring to secure their summer's supply of the article. ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM ALL IMPURITIES, and at REASONABLE KATES, can do so by leaving their

orders at my office, or by arrangement with my .A. REED JANNEY'S WHARF.

MARINE TO COM Breakfast Wheat.

ACKNOWLEDGED SUPERIOR TO MOST PREPARATIONS OF WHEAT.

THE EQUAL OF THE BEST. PRE-EMINENTLY A CHILD'S FOOD. FOR SALE BY GROCERS.

EW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

We have just received our fall supply goods, consisting in part of the following: Ladies' and Children's Balmoral Skirts, Ladies' and Cuildren's Vests, Nubias, Breakfast Shawls, Jackets, Bustles, Hosiery, Jet and Plated Jew-elry, Millinery Ornaments, Windsor and Silk Ties, Black Lace Fischues, Kid Gloves, Worsted Dress Fringes in all shades, and a variety of other fancy articles, at FERGUSON & BRO.,

STILL THEY COME AND STILL THEY
GO-Constantly adding to our stock-Popular Goods-Popular Prices-Fancy Dress Goods at and below cost-January 14, 1876-We have a great many goods in our stock which we are seiling at prices less than cost of importation, and invite consumers and country merchants to take advantage of our low figures. We are constantly in the market and receiving fresh goods

D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. jan 14 FEPHYR WORSTEDS

YARNS.

Just opened the above goods, IN ALL COLORS,

C. C. BERRY'S. STOP !- We want to say that all fond of GOOD EATING should know that

"AVENA," OR OATEN GRITS,

IS SUPERIOR TO ANY OAT MEAL, either foreign or domestic. Sold by all first class gro-cers. ASK FOR FREE SAMPLE PACK-

DERFUMERIES-Lubin's and Piver's Extracts, Janney's Orange Blessom Cologne, Genuine imported F. Marie Farina Cologne, Drexel's Vienna Bell Cologne, Read's Grand Duchess Cologne, N. Hynson Jenning's Double Esu de Cologne, Hoyt's German Cologne and Lanman & Kemp's Florida Water. Also Cou-dray's Genuine French Extra ts in bulk, of all the popular odors, and for sale by the ounce or pound. [dec 9] JANNEY & CO.

GUNS, CAPS, WADS, &c.—Just opened at 88 King street, Alexandria, Va., corner of Royal, an assortment of English Twist Shot Guns, of good quality, and at very low prices; also a Breech Loader, with all the fixtures, shells, &c., Musket Caps, Gun Wads, Flasks, Pouches, Belts, &c., to which we invite atten-

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. NEW GOODS—Received this day: Glenn's sulphur Soap, Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar, Pike's Toothache Drops, Stafford's Olive Tar. Winchester's Syrup of Hypophosphites, Heiskell's Tetter Unitment, Doctor Percy's Vitslised Phosphates, Hall's Hair Re-newer, Foutz's Horse Powders. Chlorate Potash Lezenges, Lactopeptine Powder and Sassafras Pith. [feb 1] JANNEY & CO. [feb 1] JANNEY & CO.

NEW GOODS. 25 boxes London and other Layer Raisins, New Currents and Citron,

Pure Ground Spices, Flavoring Extracts, Gelatine, Sardines, Spiced Salmon and Olive Oil, received and for sale by dec 17 DAVY & HARMON.

DECEMBER 28, 1875 - Just received: Black Cashmeres, Alpacas and Pure Mohairs Also Brown and Navy Blue Cashmeres, together with a choice line of Blankets, Fiannels, Waterproofs, Ciotas, Cassimeres and Vestings.
D'F. BRASHEAR,
H B. HOOMES,

No. 109 King st., Alexandria. ECRU. We have just received a full line of Real and Imitation ECRU LaCES, NET and VEILING, which we are offering at low prices. Also a large lot ! Hamburg Edgings and Insertings at greatly

reduced prices. FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street. SLEIGH RUNNERS and BASKETS, Meat Cutters Oyster Broilers Tool Chests, Skates, Pocket Knives, Usrvers and Forks and other goods suited to the season, just received at 88

ding street, corner of Royal. Call and see. dec 15 J. T. CKEIGHTON & SON. NEW YORK ENAMELLED PAINT, al ways ready for use; the best in the world, combining beauty, durability and economy, turnished in any quantity, from one gallon upwards. For sample card and prices address iy 2 B. F. PEAKE & CO., 187 King st.

SPARKLING CHAMPAGNE CIDER-prenounced fully equal to Champagne Wine, put up in exactly the same style and at less than one third the price. Quart bottles 50c, pints 30c. A fresh supply just received JANAEL & CO.

WORSTED FRINGES.

30 pieces of the above, in all colors, just open-[nov 4] C. C. BEKKY'S. CANNED STRAWBERRIES, Pineapples Seckel Pears, Winslow's Corn, Lima Bean, and Succetosh received to-day by dec 22 J. C. & E. MILBURN. A NOTHER LOT OF SMALL HAMS, Maryland brand, just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN,

Sep 9 19 north Royal street.

EDAM, PINEAPLLE and SAPSAGO CORESE just received by G. WM. RAMSAY, oct 8 Corner King and St. Asaph 45 Corner King and St. Asaph 45

BAILBUADS.

1876 1876GREAT PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE
TO THE NORTH, WEST & SOUTHWEST.
DOUBLE TRACK,

STEEL RAILS, SPLENDID SCENERY
MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.
Trains leave Washington, from depot of BALTIMORE & POTOMAC RAILROAD, cor. ner of Sixth and B streets, as follows: For Philadelphia, New York and the East, 9.10

p. m. daily, with Palace Cars attached. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars 9.23 a. m. daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphis and New York 1.30 p. m. daily, except Sunday; for Philadelphia 4.55 p. m. daily, with Parlor Cars attached.

For Pittsburg and the West, 6 a. m. daily, with Parlor Cars to Pittsburg and Tables (6 a. m. daily, with Parlor Cars to Pittsburg 2.74).

Parlor Cars to Pittsburg; 7.40 p. m. daily with Palace Car to Chicago, and 11.55 a. m. daily, except Sunday. For Canandaigua and the North, 6 a. m. daily,

except Sunday; and 7.40 p. in. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Car to Rochester. For Elmira, 11.55 a m. daily, except Sunday. For the South, vis Richmond, 8.40 a.m. and 11.38 p. m. daily, except Sunday, and via Lynchburg 7 a. m. 11.38 p. m. daily, excep-

Sunday.

LOCAL TRAINS.

For Alexandria, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., and 1, 3, 4.20, 5, 6, 7 and 11.38 p. m. On Sunday at 8 a. m., and 1 and 6 p. m.

Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 p. m.—
On Sunday at 6 and 10 a. m., and 5 p.m. Sunday.

Tickets and information can be procured at principal railroad stations and ticket offices Southeast. D. M. BOYD, Jr., Gen'l. Passenger Agent. FRANK THOMSON, General Manager.

WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILHOAD

WINTER ARRANGEMENT, BEGINNING OCTOBER 8, 1875. The MAIL TRAIN will leave Washington at 9 s m., and Alexandria at 9:10 s. m., daily, except Sunday; pass Leesburg, going westward, at 11:20 a. m.; and arrive at Round Hill at 12 m. Leave Round Hill at 12:30 p. m.; pass Leesburg, going eastward, at 1:10 p. m.; and arrive at Alexandria at 3:15 p. m., and at Washington at

The ACCOMMODATION TRAIN will leave Washington at 4.20 p.m., and Alexandria at 4:25 p. m., daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Leesburg at 6:40 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 6 a. m. and arrive at Alexandria at 8:15 a. m., and

Washington at 8:30 a. in.

Par Passengers from Washington will take
the Washington and Obio cars at the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad station at 9a. m. and 4.20 p.m., and go through without change of cars. The 9.10 a. m. train from Alexandria and 12.30 p. in. train from Round Hill connect at Round Hill with Harris' Daily Line of Coaches for Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also with Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg. Both trains, westward, make close connection, at Vienna, with Sisson's Line of Stages for Fair-

fax Court House. Commutation tickets, 3 ets. per mile Annual tickets, 860. R. H. HAVENER, General Picket Agent oct 5---Lf

"E .d & B 0.1 T6. NOTICE. From December 3d until further notice, the POTOMAC FERRY BOATS will run as fol-

Except on Sundays: At 8 9.30, 10.30 and 11.30 a. m., and 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p m. on Sundays: At 9, 9.30, 10 30 and 11 30 s. m., and 12 30, 1.30, 2.30 3.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p.m. S S. HOWISON, Pres. P.F.C MERCHANTS LINE NEW YORK

The line consi of the following first-class outside steamers

E. C. KNIGHT..........Capt J. K. Chichester
JOHN GIBSON.......Capt. W. H. Winters
Will leave New York EVERY SATUEDAY for this port; and, returning, will leave Alexan-tria EVERY FRIDAY, at 10 o'clock.

. P. B. HOOE, Agent, No. 2 Prince street. Agent in New York, J. C. KENYON, my 5] 226 South st., Pier No. 41 East river. CLYDE'S STEAM LINES

All freight must be on the dock by 9 a.m.

For freight apply to

PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON. Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY TUES DAY, and leave Philadelphia EVERY SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m. from Pier No. 1 North Wharves-This line connects at Alexandria with the O., A. & M. and W. & O. K. Rs., and at Philadel-

phis with the new and popular "Iron Line," for Providence and Boston. Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commissions. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in sixty-five hours. Through rates and through T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO., sixty-five hours. Through rates and through bills of lading given. . Insurance guaranteed at

less than usual rates. Agents:
F. A. REED, Alexandria.
WM. P. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphis.
GEO. F. HYDE, Georgetown, D. C.

HURRAHI BOYSI HURRAH HERE'S RICHNESS.

The children all over town are crying for the great Centennial toy, "YE HERO OF 75," re-ceived and for sale at FRENCH'S, No. 95 King street. Price 35 cts., mailed to any part of the county on receipt of 40 cts. Ye Old Hero, judging from the rush, is making a most tavorable impression on children of a larger growth even. Ye Old Hero will tarry a few days longer only. All who desire-to make the acquaintance of Ye Hero of Ye Olden Time should call early. G. E. FRENCH.

M ORE NEW GOODS. 130 pieces of as pretty Calicoes and Cambrics as we have ever opened. They embrace the

newest sty es, carefully selected from the best in the market.
4 4 Bro. Cottons cheaper than ever before. Binck Silks at low figures. Sheetings, Bro. and Bleached P. C. Cottons,

Gingnams, &c. Goods are moving; now is the time to buy chesp. H. C. SLAY MAKER CO.

February 3d, 1876. REDUCED ON NEW GOODS.
BLACK CACHMIRES. BLACK MOHAIRS,

BLACK ALPACAS.

Another large line of these beautiful new styles of Shiring and Mourning Calicoes, Cheviot shirtings and 5 4 and 10-4 Sheetings; also a full line of lickings and Grenardson's Irish Linens—ail very cheap. feb 3 H C. SLAYMAKER CO.

REDUCED PRICES-We are offering FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS and TRIM-MINGS at reduced prices to make room for Holiday Goo.s, which Mr Ferguson is now in New York selecting, the arrival of which will be duly noticed. FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street.

TRIMMINGS!

FRINGES, BINDINGS, LACES, GIMPS AND BUTTONS, in great variety, just received at C. C. BERRY'S. IMPERIAL FRENCH GREEN.

T'RIMMINGS!

It is not poisonous; it is finer in texture; has more body, and is the most brilliant in the world. For sale by B. F. PEAKE & CO., iy 2 le7 King street.

Gin, in store and for sale by nov 23 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE-The undersigned having at the last term of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria taken out letters of administration upon the estate of WILLIA I OWENS deceased, all persons having claims against the said estate will present them, properly authenticated, and those indebted to the estate are requested to settle without delay.

ANNE VIRGINIA OWENS,

Administratrix. TIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Cor-V poration Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 26th day of January, 1876: H. G. Raynes vs H. V. Crandall and John Crandall, partners, doing business under the firm name of Crandal Brothers, and Wm. A. Smoot. In chancery and upon an attachment.

Memo: The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants, Crandall Brothers, the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars, with interest from October 2d, 1875, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate or debts due the said Crandall Brothers in the hands of

the said Wm. A. Smoot.

The defendants, H. V. Crandall and John Crandall, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said delendants appear here within one month after due publicaion of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alex andria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of his city. A copy, test:
MOSTON MARY b, Clerk.

jan 26-w4 w D. L. Smoot, p. q. NOTICE-1 shall apply to the Commissioner of Pensions for the issuing of a duplicate of BOUNTY LAND WARRANT No. 24,185 for 160 acres issued June 14, 1820, under the act of May 0, 1812, to John Pollard, late of King George county, Va., who was a private in Capt. Charles Gee's company, 20th U . Infantry, in the war of 1812-the original having been lost or destroyed. CHARLES R. POLLARD, de 29-w6w Adm'r. of John Pollard, dec'd.

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having been appointed by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexand is as administrator of the estate of John T. Evans, deceased, I hereby give notice to all parties indebted to the estate to come forward at once and make payment to me. All parties having claims against the estate will present them to me duly certified for payment.

I. C. O'NEAL, for payment. I. C. O'NEAL, oc25-tf Adm'r of John T. Lvans, dee'd.

WOOD AND LOAL.

COALI C AL! On the wharf a full stock of COAL, of the best quality, Broken, Egg. Stove, Nut and Cumberland, from the following mines: Lyken's Valley Mines. Cameron Sumbury

Lee

Ocean

Hill & Harris'

Maryland West Virginia Splint. For sale at the lowest market rates, per ton of jan 11-tf W. A. SMOOT. KANAWHA SPLINT COAL.

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